

# Apache



## **SMART Briefing**

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# The AH-64D System

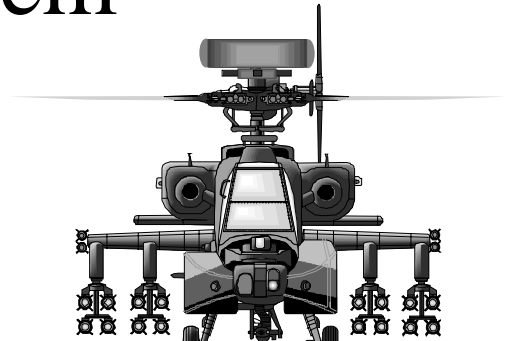


Use As-is

Modified

Excess

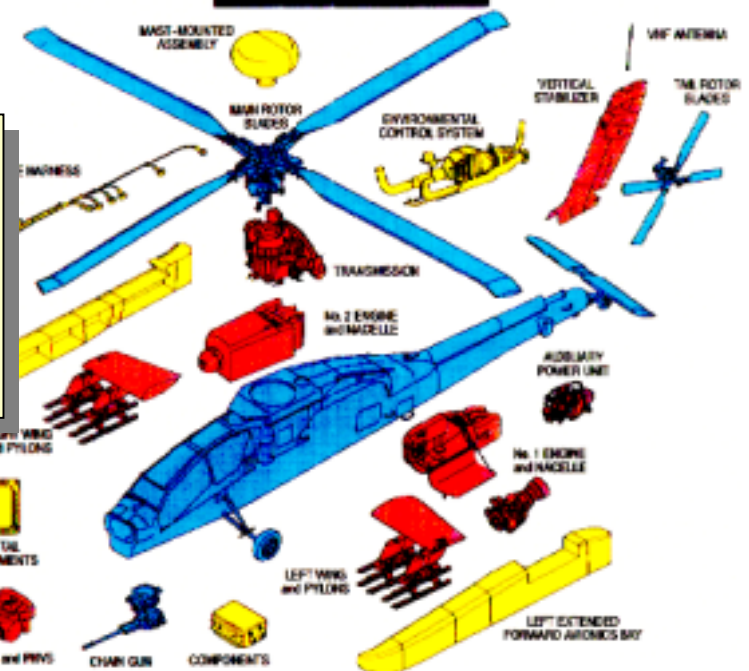
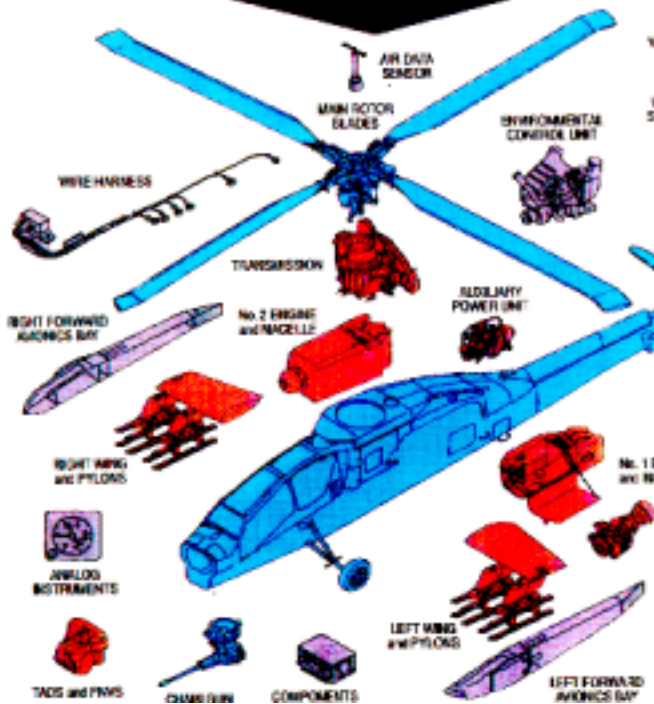
New



Premodification

Modification

About 30% of the AH-64D is “new” equipment





# Sources of Improvements & Modifications



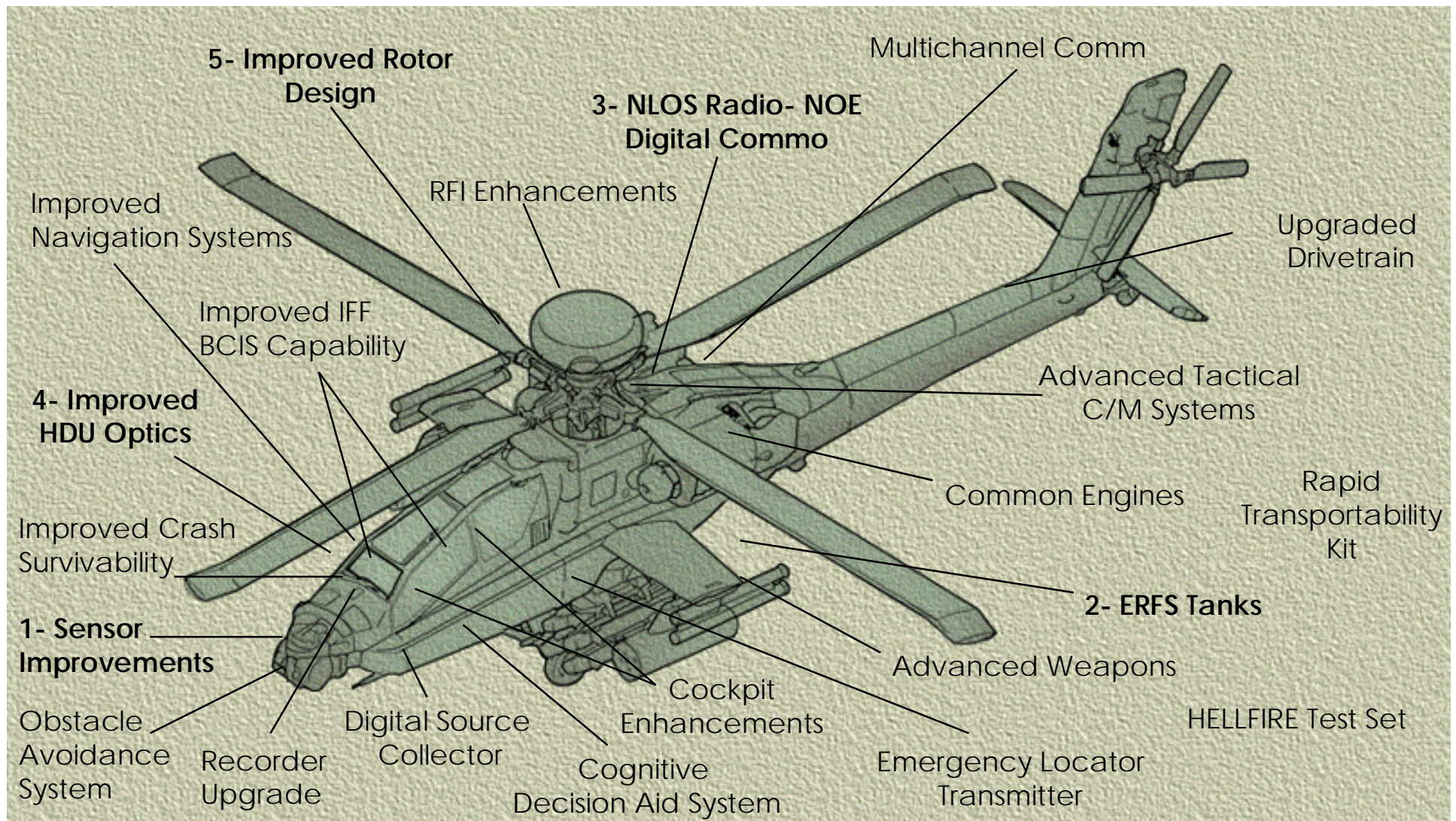
- Operational Capabilities Improvements & Priority List
- P3I List
- Funded Modifications
- Top Ten Cost Drivers
- Digitization
- Unfunded Requirements List
- Diminishing Mfg. Sources







# Operational Capabilities Improvement Priority List







# Operational Capabilities Improvement List



## *Fire Control Radar*

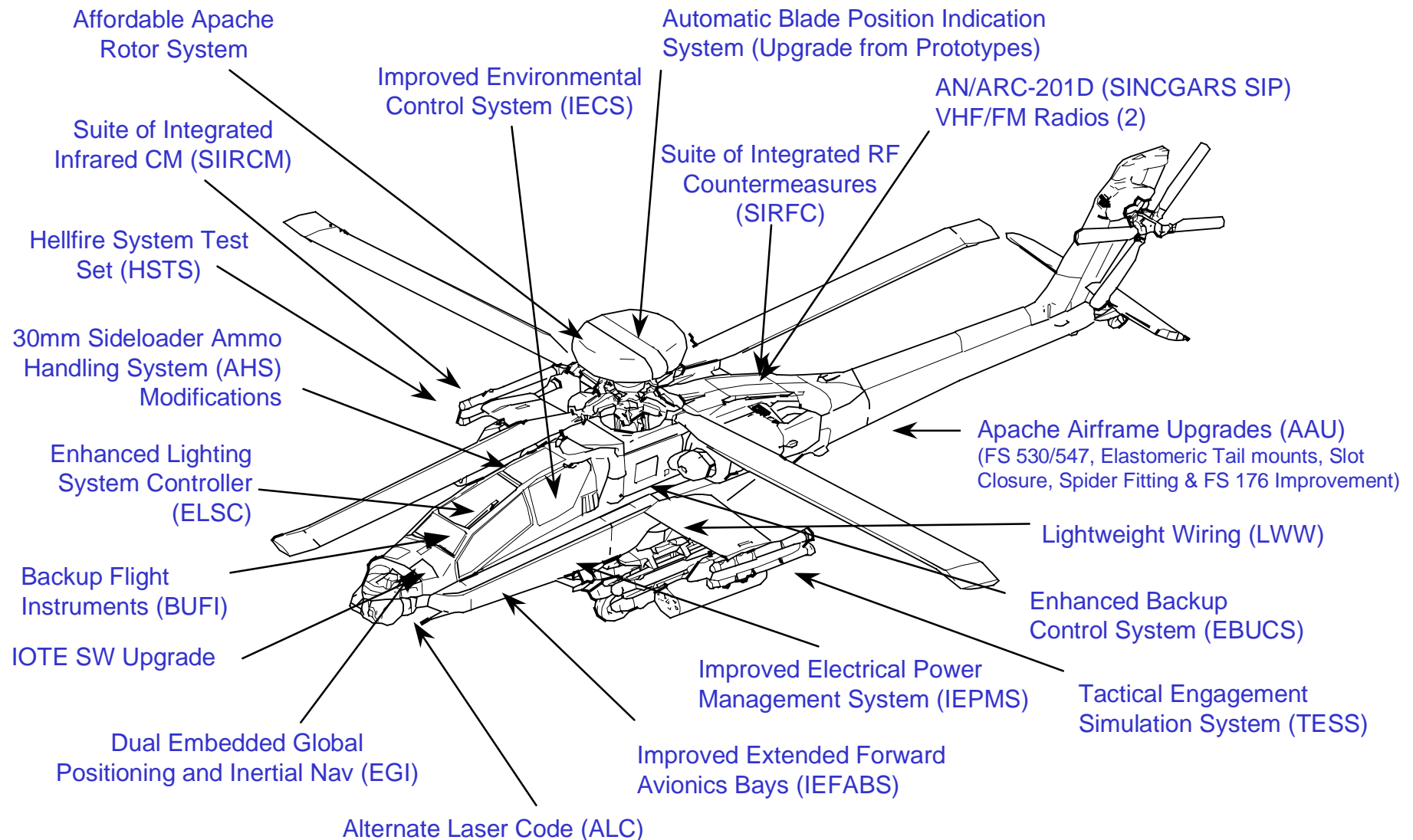
- Algorithm Robustness Improvements
- Capability to Track Targets
- Air to Air Targeting
- Terrain Profile and Ground Map
- Unmasked Indicator

## *AH-64D Aircraft*

- Sensor Improvements
- Extended Range Tanks
- NLOS Radio/Comm
- Improved HDU Optics
- Improved Rotor Design
- Upgraded Drivetrain
- Digital Map



# Funded Modifications





# Apache SMART Goals

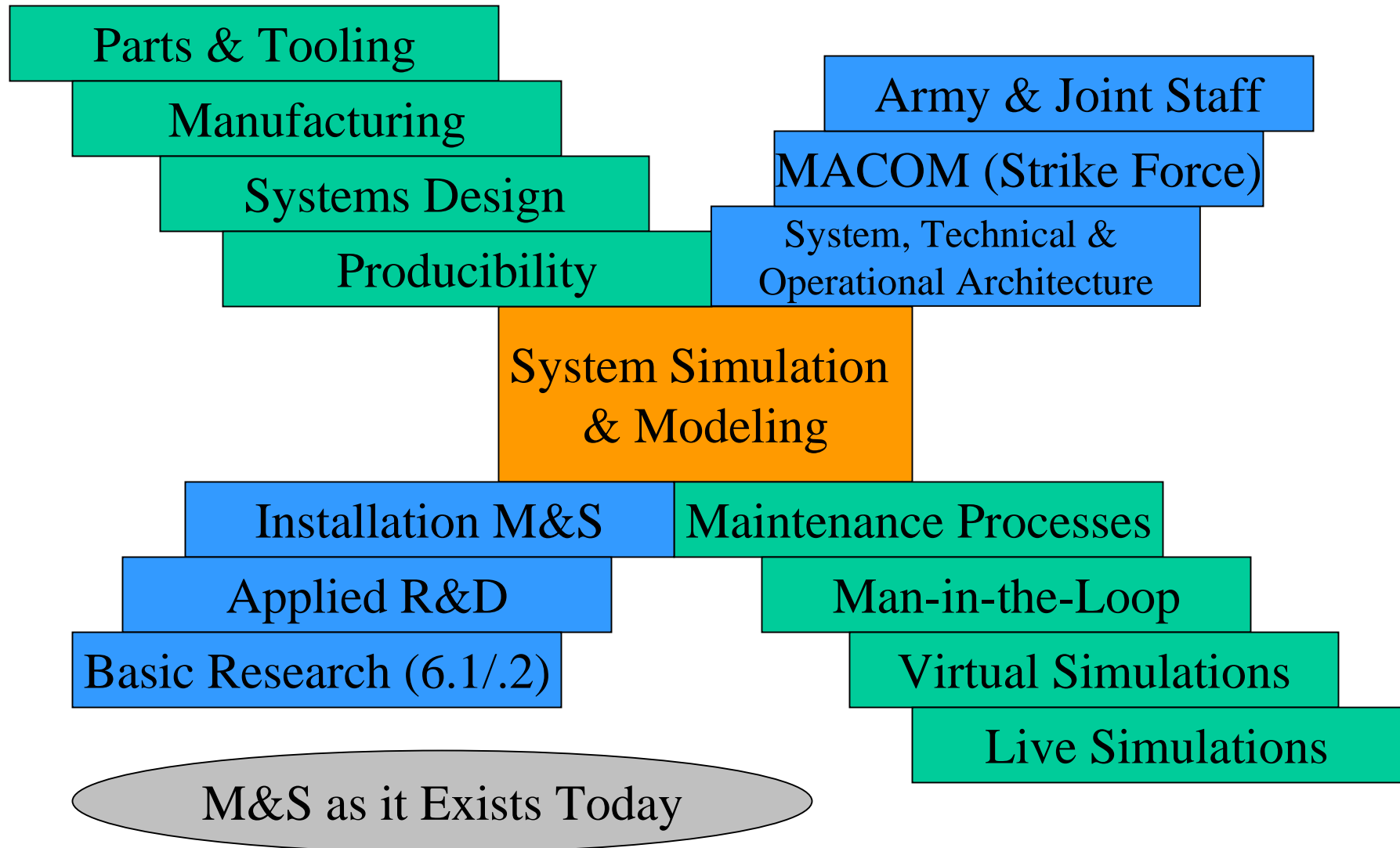
- 50% Reduction in Cycle Time
- 30% Reduction in Total Cost of Ownership
- Maximize use of Industry's Investment
- Integrate with Requirements Analysis & Funding
- Execute through Performance Based Contracts
- Establish Measurements and Thresholds of Success

“Better, Faster, Cheaper”  
has taken hold of the  
acquisition community.  
But I assure you that  
this is not simply a  
slogan. It is a fundamental  
blueprint for survival...  
Dr. J. Gansler



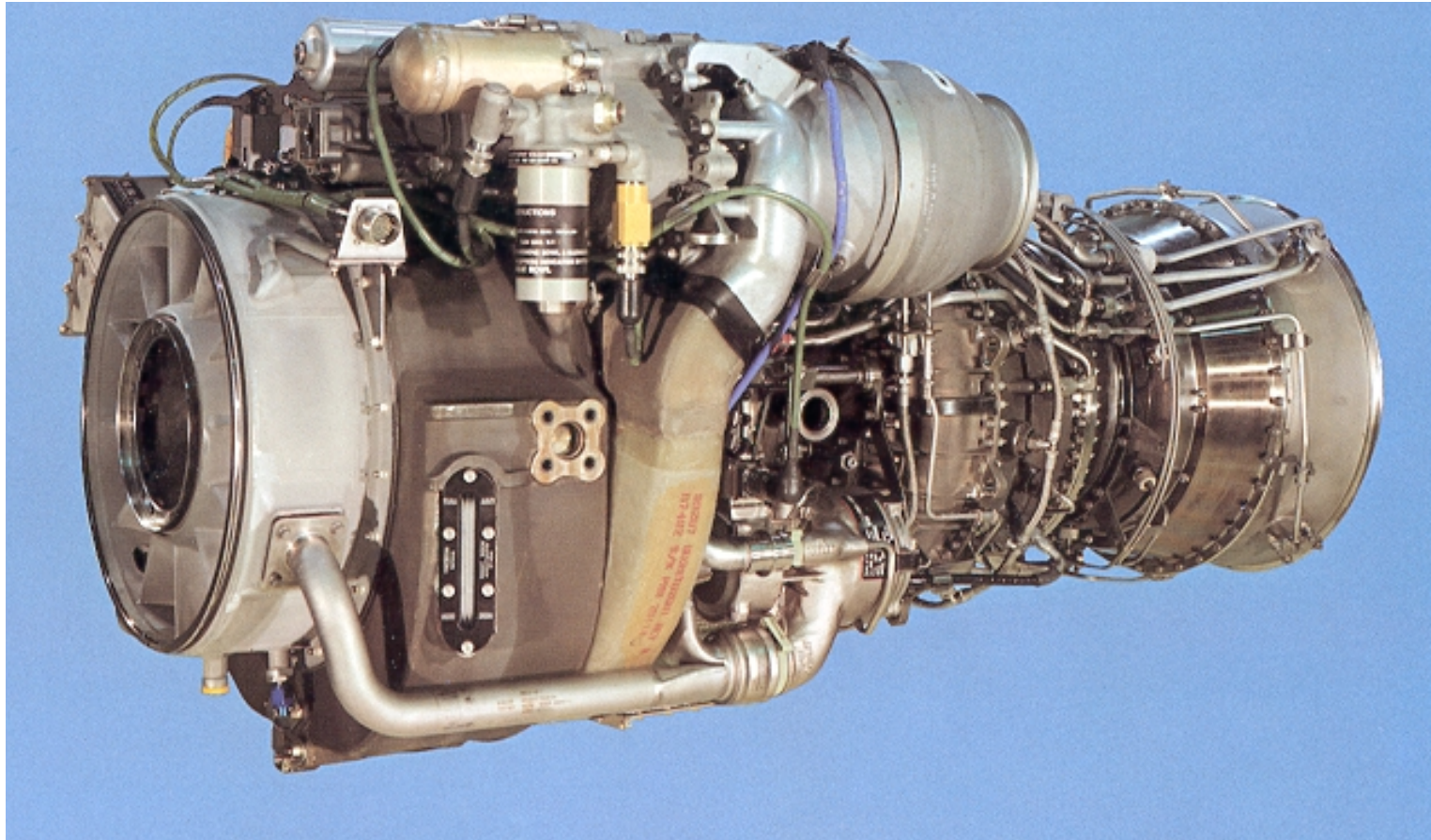


# Modeling and Simulation Efforts



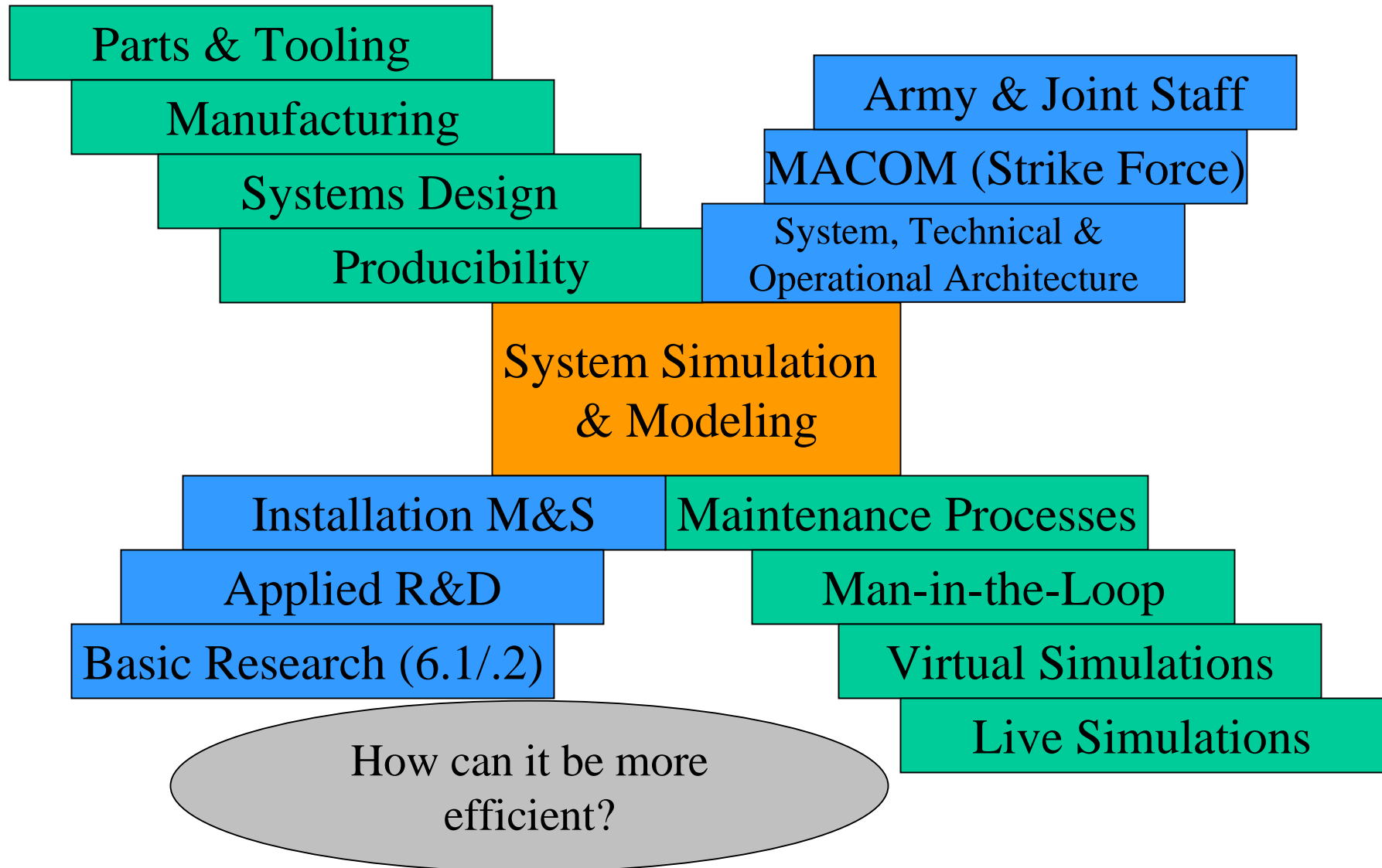


# General Electric's T-700 Engine





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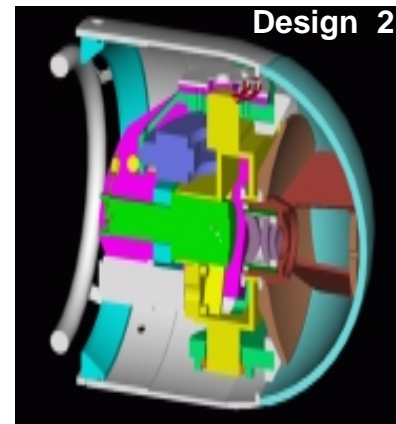
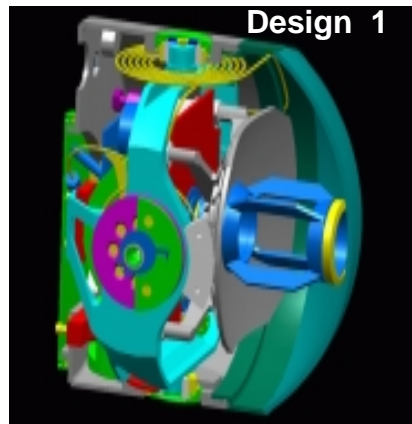




# Lockheed Martin Electronics & Missile Systems

## Development of an Adaptive Modeling Language (AML) for Knowledge-Based Engineering with Application to Interactive Gimbal Design (IGD)

	Optics	Mechanical	FE Analysis	Servo	Total
Design 1	1,082 <sup>1</sup> hrs	4,955 hrs	1,214 hrs	1,383 hrs	8,634 hrs
Design 2	1,286 hrs	2,356 hrs	3,384 hrs	0 hrs	7,026 hrs



**40:1 payback  
equals  
\$6 million @  
\$100 per hour  
between design  
and  
maintenance**



# Systems Analysis

DADS animation output from Matrix-X to DADS Simulation



DADS Animation

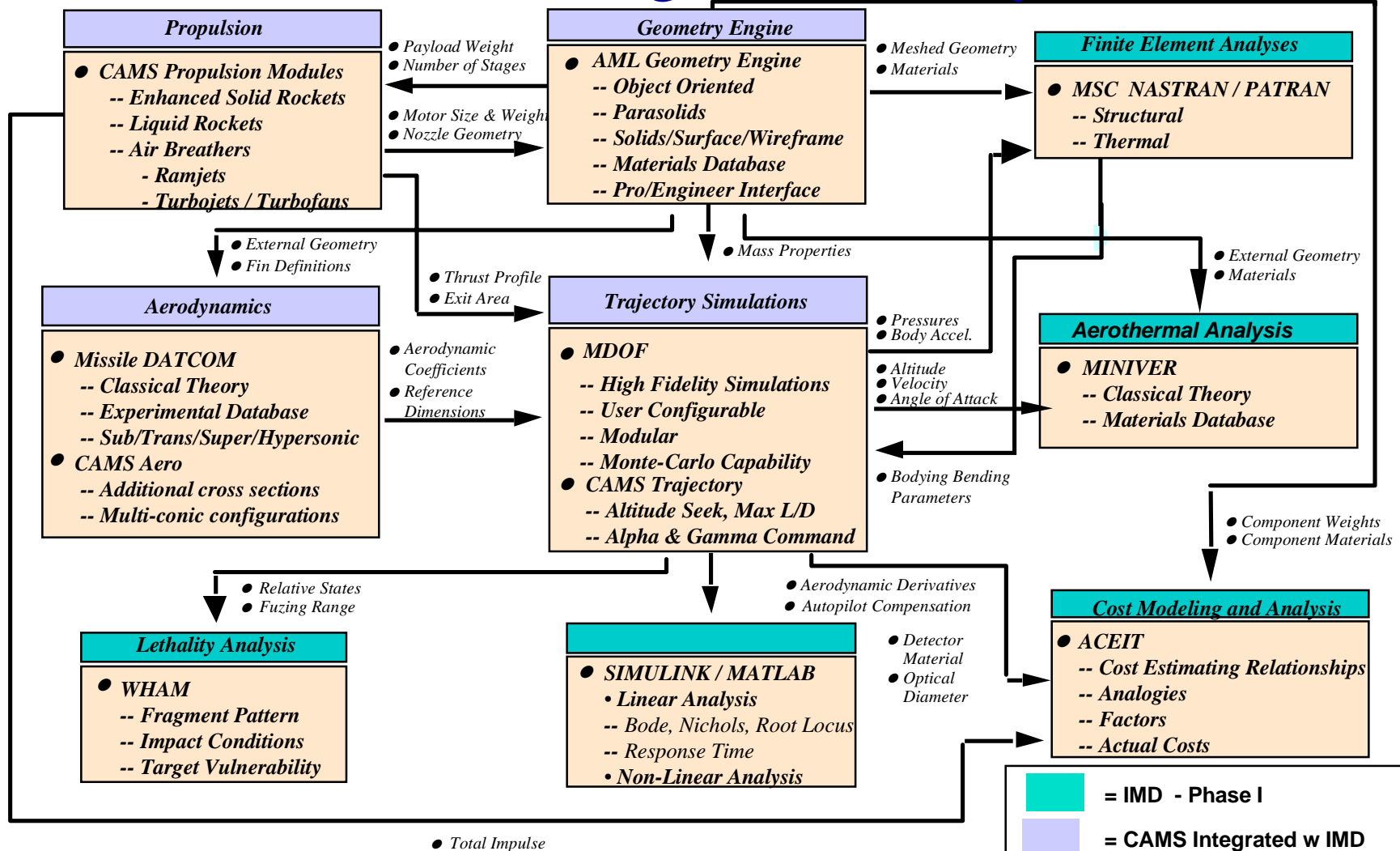
Matrix-X Output

Multi-view of DADS Output Position at 1.5 sec

Time = 1.5 sec



# Overview: Interactive Missile Design (IMD) System





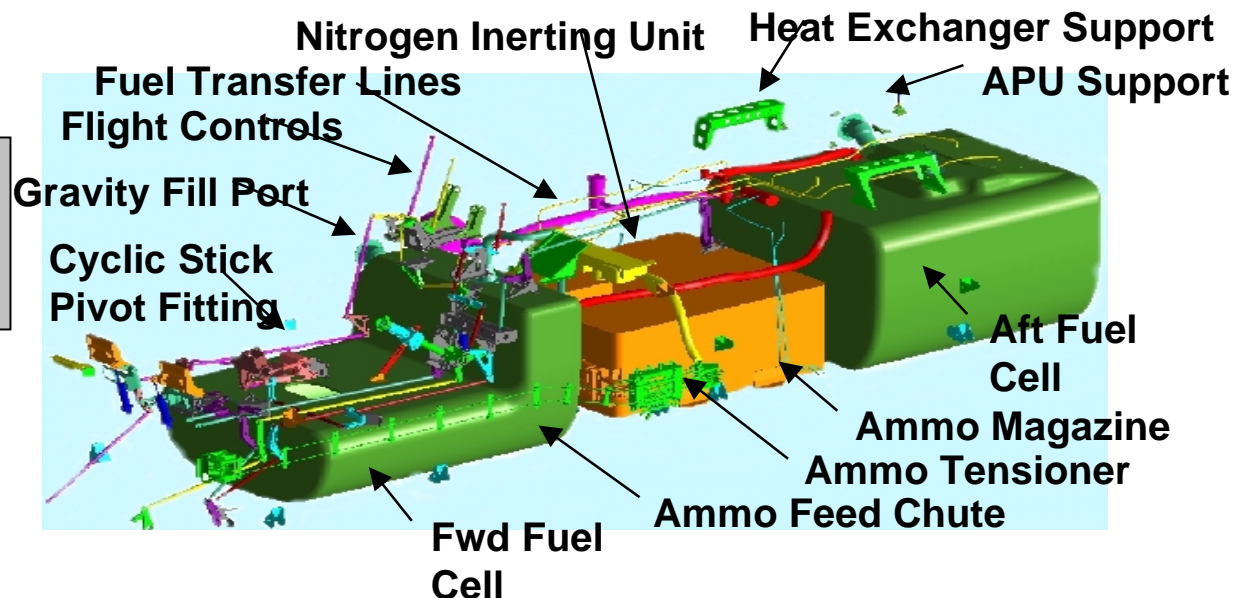


# Boeing (McDonnell Douglas Helicopter Systems)



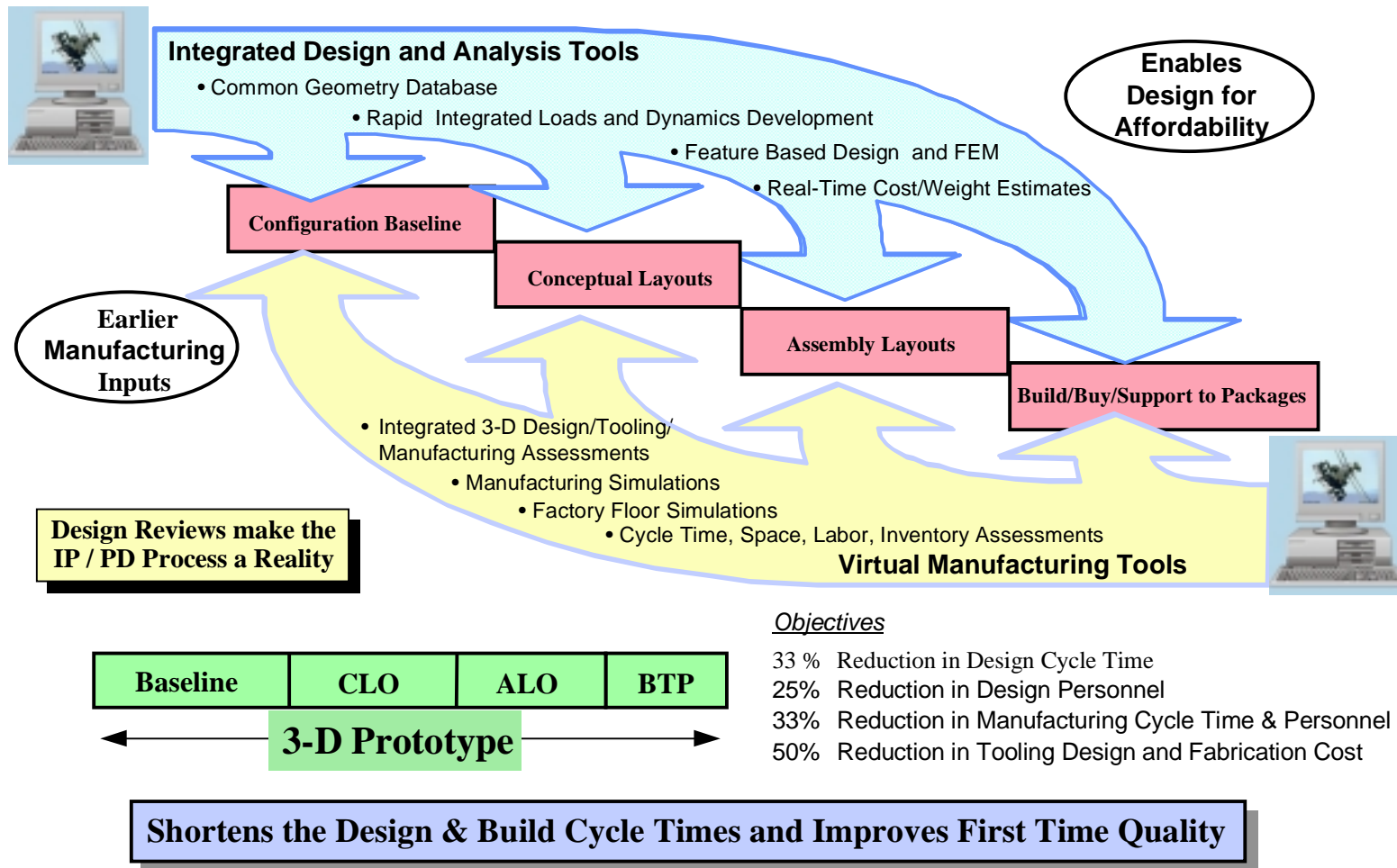
- Rotary Wing Structures Technology Demonstration Program (RWSTDP)
- DMAPS — A Suite of VPD Tools for Integrated Product and Process Development (Design, Manufacturing and Producibility Simulation)

SUBSYSTEMS IN  
CENTER FUSELAGE



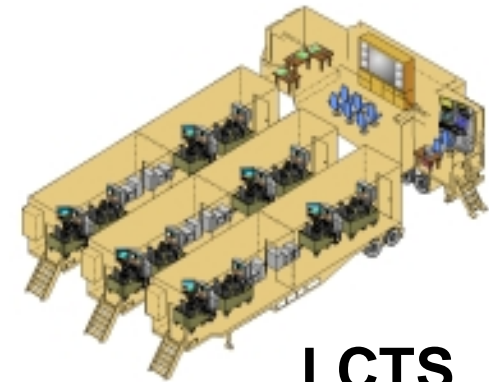


# Flow Chart Of DMAPS Process

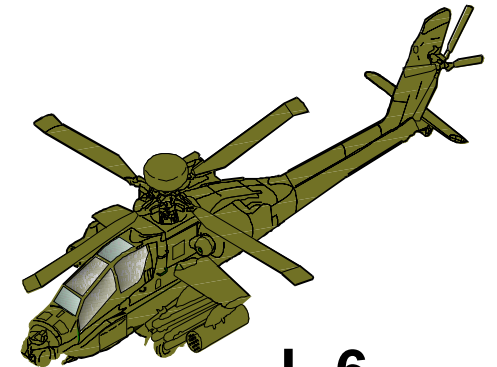




# Apache Training Devices

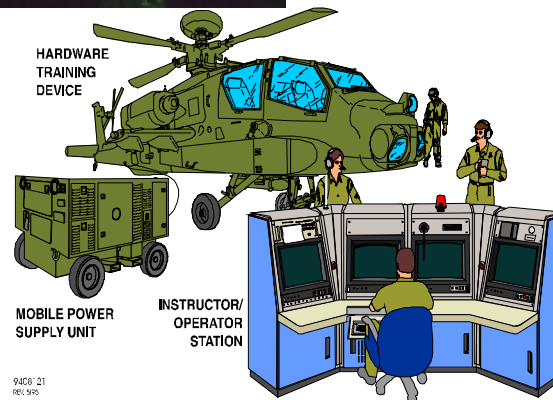


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# Applications of SMART/SBA

- Candidates are in the P3I, OC IPL, Top 10 Cost Driver, and UFR Lists
- Apache Program is 93-94% Committed to Multi-year Production Contracts
- High Priority Candidates
  - 1) 2nd GEN FLIR
  - 2) Embedded Battle Command & Integrated Data Modem (IDM)
  - 3) Rotor Blade 2000
  - 4) Longbow FCR on Comanche & Future Scout
  - 5) SIRFC or ARC 220 (HF Radio)

“Industry will do what the customer wants. Outcome is determined by the rules and not by emotion. We will respond; but, there has to be an incentive.” Steven Conver, Lockheed Martin



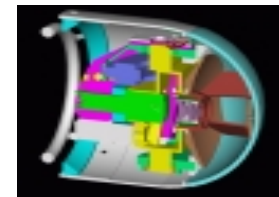
# Observations

- Profitable Corporations use M&S profitably
  - But, M&S is a Corporate Asset and Guarded Carefully
- Industry will Mirror the Customer's Priorities and Organization
  - M&S is an overhead cost and industry would like to see more integration
- Expensive, High Risk (complex), High Visibility Programs Demand Proportionate M&S
- Industry concerns: 1) Staying Power of SMART/SBA;  
2) Existing Programs Poorly Compare to “Virtual Systems”



# Conclusions

- M&S exists at every level in the program, both in the system and “environment”
- Industry has made a tremendous investment, and keeps investing for strategic advantage
- M&S is not well integrated, especially between design and operational trade-offs
  - Not a single company bill
  - Could be expensive to fix
  - Could be administratively burdensome
- 50% reduction in cycle time and 30% reduction in cost of ownership will come from integration
- How to pay for it?







# Recommendations

- Productize SMART in ACAT I and II Programs
- SMART/SBA as a Decision Component in P3I Prioritization
- Prototype 1-4 high payoff candidates, *then* Incorporate SMART/SBA as a Contract Provision in the Proposed Effort
- Cost share the application of SMART/SBA between Government and Industry



# Areas for Further Exploration

- Logistics System Modeling
- Integration of Program M&S with Information Systems Modeling (C4ISR, JTA-A, Army Enterprise Strategy)
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“If you can’t do it with brainpower, you can’t do it with manpower - overtime.” Kelly Johnson, F-16 & SR71 System Architect